

# **WIA Planning Information Packet**

## **Golden Sierra Consortium**

(Alpine, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer and Sierra counties)

# **2005**

EMPLOYMENT DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT  
LABOR MARKET INFORMATION DIVISION

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## **Introduction to Social and Economic Data Tables**

The data for the Social and Economic Data Tables were developed from a variety of sources to aid local organizations in identifying target group needs and in making appropriate resource allocations for employment and training activities.

Terms expressed in these tables are those commonly used by the U.S. Department of Commerce, the Bureau of the Census, and the various state agencies that supplied the data. (The specified source of the data is noted at the bottom of each table or in the footnotes accompanying each table.)

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**Table 1**  
**Public Assistance Recipients by Program**  
**2002 - 2004**  
**Golden Sierra Consortium**

Recipients by Program	July			California July 2004
	2002	2003	2004	
California Work Opportunity and Responsibility To Kids (CalWORKs) <b>(a)</b> .....	7,161	6,735	6,850	1,128,753
Adults .....	1,908	1,755	1,829	234,957
Children .....	5,253	4,980	5,021	893,796
Food Stamps <b>(b)</b> .....	8,898	9,634	11,661	1,889,494
General Relief .....	335	364	364	99,426
Refugee Cash Assistance <b>(c)</b> .....	5	3	2	878
Welfare to Work <b>(d)</b> .....	1,444	1,351	1,506	203,394

Source: California Department of Social Services

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**Public Assistance Recipients by Program**  
**2002 - 2004**  
**Alpine County**

Recipients by Program	July			California
	2002	2003	2004	July 2004
California Work Opportunity and Responsibility To Kids (CalWORKs) (a) .....	85	38	37	1,128,753
Adults .....	25	9	12	234,957
Children .....	60	29	25	893,796
Food Stamps (b) .....	105	88	95	1,889,494
General Relief .....	2	1	0	99,426
Refugee Cash Assistance (c) .....	0	0	0	878
Welfare to Work (d) .....	12	9	7	203,394

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**2002 - 2004**  
**El Dorado County**

Recipients by Program	July			California
	2002	2003	2004	July 2004
California Work Opportunity and Responsibility To Kids (CalWORKs) <b>(a)</b> . . . . .	2,345	2,263	2,330	1,128,753
Adults . . . . .	661	637	641	234,957
Children . . . . .	1,684	1,626	1,689	893,796
Food Stamps <b>(b)</b> . . . . .	3,333	3,548	3,993	1,889,494
General Relief . . . . .	34	63	38	99,426
Refugee Cash Assistance <b>(c)</b> . . . . .	0	0	0	878
Welfare to Work <b>(d)</b> . . . . .	471	451	451	203,394

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**2002 - 2004**  
**Nevada County**

Recipients by Program	July			California
	2002	2003	2004	July 2004
California Work Opportunity and Responsibility To Kids (CalWORKs) <b>(a)</b> .....	1,300	1,206	1,309	1,128,753
Adults .....	329	288	351	234,957
Children .....	971	918	958	893,796
Food Stamps <b>(b)</b> .....	1,590	1,753	2,074	1,889,494
General Relief .....	83	97	86	99,426
Refugee Cash Assistance <b>(c)</b> .....	0	0	0	878
Welfare to Work <b>(d)</b> .....	200	177	224	203,394

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**2002 - 2004**  
**Placer County**

Recipients by Program	July			California
	2002	2003	2004	July 2004
California Work Opportunity and Responsibility To Kids (CalWORKs) <b>(a)</b> .....	3,360	3,152	3,084	1,128,753
Adults .....	871	800	799	234,957
Children .....	2,489	2,352	2,285	893,796
Food Stamps <b>(b)</b> .....	3,774	4,158	5,392	1,889,494
General Relief .....	212	201	240	99,426
Refugee Cash Assistance <b>(c)</b> .....	5	3	2	878
Welfare to Work <b>(d)</b> .....	730	700	812	203,394

Source: California Department of Social Services

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General Relief: see report GR 237; Welfare to Work: see reports WTW 25 and WTW 25A.

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**2002 - 2004**  
**Sierra County**

Recipients by Program	July			California July 2004
	2002	2003	2004	
California Work Opportunity and Responsibility To Kids (CalWORKs) <b>(a)</b> .....	71	76	90	1,128,753
Adults .....	22	21	26	234,957
Children .....	49	55	64	893,796
Food Stamps <b>(b)</b> .....	96	87	107	1,889,494
General Relief .....	4	2	0	99,426
Refugee Cash Assistance <b>(c)</b> .....	0	0	0	878
Welfare to Work <b>(d)</b> .....	31	14	12	203,394

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**Table 2**  
**Public Assistance Recipients (CalWORKs)**  
**Characteristics of Recipients 16 Years and Older**  
**2002 - 2004**  
**Golden Sierra Consortium**

Characteristics	July			California July 2004
	2002	2003	2004	
Total Recipients 16+ <b>(a) (b)</b> .....	2,480	2,330	2,370	390,920
Male .....	470	450	450	74,850
Female .....	2,010	1,880	1,920	316,190
16-20 .....	520	490	500	82,470
21-44 .....	1,770	1,660	1,690	278,610
45-54 .....	150	140	140	23,860
55+ .....	40	40	40	6,100
White (Not Hispanic) .....	2,100	1,960	1,900	97,460
Black (Not Hispanic) .....	40	50	50	81,110
Hispanic .....	250	240	350	183,160
Asian & Pacific Islander .....	20	20	20	23,150
American Indian .....	60	60	40	3,070
Filipino .....	10	10	10	2,970

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**2002 - 2004**  
**Alpine County**

Characteristics	July			California
	2002	2003	2004	July 2004
Total Recipients 16+ <b>(a) (b)</b> . . . . .	30	10	10	390,920
Male . . . . .	10	0	0	74,850
Female . . . . .	20	10	10	316,190
16-20 . . . . .	10	0	0	82,470
21-44 . . . . .	20	10	10	278,610
45-54 . . . . .	0	0	0	23,860
55+ . . . . .	0	0	0	6,100
White (Not Hispanic) . . . . .	10	0	10	97,460
Black (Not Hispanic) . . . . .	0	0	0	81,110
Hispanic . . . . .	0	0	0	183,160
Asian & Pacific Islander . . . . .	0	0	0	23,150
American Indian . . . . .	20	10	*	3,070
Filipino . . . . .	0	0	0	2,970

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**2002 - 2004**  
**El Dorado County**

Characteristics	July			California
	2002	2003	2004	July 2004
Total Recipients 16+ <b>(a) (b)</b> . . . . .	810	780	810	390,920
Male . . . . .	160	150	160	74,850
Female . . . . .	660	630	660	316,190
16-20 . . . . .	170	160	170	82,470
21-44 . . . . .	580	560	580	278,610
45-54 . . . . .	50	50	50	23,860
55+ . . . . .	10	10	10	6,100
White (Not Hispanic) . . . . .	690	660	690	97,460
Black (Not Hispanic) . . . . .	10	10	10	81,110
Hispanic . . . . .	90	90	80	183,160
Asian & Pacific Islander . . . . .	10	10	10	23,150
American Indian . . . . .	20	10	10	3,070
Filipino . . . . .	*	*	*	2,970

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**Characteristics of Recipients 16 Years and Older**  
**2002 - 2004**  
**Nevada County**

Characteristics	July			California
	2002	2003	2004	July 2004
Total Recipients 16+ <b>(a) (b)</b> . . . . .	450	420	450	390,920
Male . . . . .	90	80	90	74,850
Female . . . . .	360	340	360	316,190
16-20 . . . . .	90	90	90	82,470
21-44 . . . . .	320	300	320	278,610
45-54 . . . . .	30	30	30	23,860
55+ . . . . .	10	10	10	6,100
White (Not Hispanic) . . . . .	410	380	430	97,460
Black (Not Hispanic) . . . . .	*	*	0	81,110
Hispanic . . . . .	20	30	10	183,160
Asian & Pacific Islander . . . . .	10	0	0	23,150
American Indian . . . . .	10	10	*	3,070
Filipino . . . . .	*	0	0	2,970

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**Characteristics of Recipients 16 Years and Older**  
**2002 - 2004**  
**Placer County**

Characteristics	July			California
	2002	2003	2004	July 2004
Total Recipients 16+ <b>(a) (b)</b> . . . . .	1,160	1,090	1,070	390,920
Male . . . . .	220	210	200	74,850
Female . . . . .	940	880	870	316,190
16-20 . . . . .	240	230	230	82,470
21-44 . . . . .	830	780	760	278,610
45-54 . . . . .	70	70	70	23,860
55+ . . . . .	20	20	20	6,100
White (Not Hispanic) . . . . .	960	900	740	97,460
Black (Not Hispanic) . . . . .	30	40	30	81,110
Hispanic . . . . .	130	120	260	183,160
Asian & Pacific Islander . . . . .	10	10	10	23,150
American Indian . . . . .	20	20	20	3,070
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**2002 - 2004**  
**Sierra County**

Characteristics	July			California
	2002	2003	2004	July 2004
Total Recipients 16+ <b>(a) (b)</b> . . . . .	20	30	30	390,920
Male . . . . .	0	10	10	74,850
Female . . . . .	20	20	20	316,190
16-20 . . . . .	0	10	10	82,470
21-44 . . . . .	10	20	20	278,610
45-54 . . . . .	0	0	0	23,860
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Black (Not Hispanic) . . . . .	0	0	*	81,110
Hispanic . . . . .	*	0	*	183,160
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**TABLE 3**  
**Workforce Investment Act**  
**Planning Information for Local Workforce Investment Areas**

LWIA NAME: Golden Sierra Consortium  
 JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED: Alpine, El Dorado, Nevada, Placer and Sierra Counties

<b>2000 CENSUS</b>									
<b>Characteristics of Economically Disadvantaged Persons<sup>1</sup></b>									
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0 to 13</b>	<b>14 and 15</b>	<b>16 to 21</b>	<b>22 to 24</b>	<b>25 to 54</b>	<b>55 to 64</b>	<b>65 to 72</b>	<b>73 and older</b>
<b>Total Persons</b>	501,500	97,025	16,140	36,570	12,350	221,070	49,410	30,455	38,480
<b>Poverty Universe<sup>2</sup></b>	496,285	95,365	15,880	36,185	12,210	220,445	49,355	30,405	36,455
<b>Persons below Poverty<sup>3</sup></b>	33,305	7,370	1,044	4,175	1,650	13,545	2,560	1,144	1,819
<b>Percent Persons in Poverty</b>	6.7%	7.7%	6.6%	11.5%	13.5%	6.1%	5.2%	3.8%	5.0%
<b>Persons in Poverty, excluding Military and College<sup>3,5</sup></b>	32,465	7,370	1,044	3,960	1,510	13,165	2,470	1,134	1,809
<b>Persons below 70% of LLSIL<sup>4</sup></b>	39,325	11,435	1,600	4,505	1,605	14,060	2,375	1,194	2,559
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL<sup>3,4</sup></b>	42,210	11,435	1,600	4,810	1,860	15,555	2,800	1,334	2,814
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL, excluding Military and College<sup>3,4,5</sup></b>	41,230	11,435	1,600	4,530	1,715	15,125	2,710	1,319	2,784
<b>Persons in the Civilian Labor Force<sup>6</sup></b>	247,625	n/a	n/a	21,895	10,270	180,370	27,295	5,340	2,459

**Characteristics of Various Potential Client Groups**

**January 16, 2005**

<b>Labor Force Status<sup>7</sup></b>	
<b>Employment</b>	264,818
<b>Unemployment</b>	13,243
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	4.8%
<b>Not in Labor Force<sup>8</sup></b>	151,907
<b>Parole Adults (under local jurisdiction)<sup>9</sup></b>	6,650
<b>2004 Veteran Estimates</b>	
<b>Total Veterans<sup>10</sup></b>	58,449
<b>Male</b>	54,664
<b>Female</b>	3,785
<b>Veterans Receiving Compensation and Pension Benefits<sup>11</sup></b>	5,540

n/a Persons counted as part of the Civilian Labor Force must be at least 16 years old.

**TABLE 3**  
**Workforce Investment Act**  
**Planning Information for Local Workforce Investment Areas**

LWIA NAME: Alpine  
 JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED: Alpine County

<b>2000 CENSUS</b>									
<b>Characteristics of Economically Disadvantaged Persons<sup>1</sup></b>									
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0 to 13</b>	<b>14 and 15</b>	<b>16 to 21</b>	<b>22 to 24</b>	<b>25 to 54</b>	<b>55 to 64</b>	<b>65 to 72</b>	<b>73 and older</b>
<b>Total Persons</b>	1,210	195	30	145	40	550	130	50	70
<b>Poverty Universe<sup>2</sup></b>	1,190	175	30	145	40	550	130	50	70
<b>Persons below Poverty<sup>3</sup></b>	230	60	4	50	15	80	10	10	4
<b>Percent Persons in Poverty</b>	19.3%	34.3%	13.3%	34.5%	37.5%	14.5%	7.7%	20.0%	5.7%
<b>Persons in Poverty, excluding Military and College<sup>3,5</sup></b>	225	60	4	45	10	80	10	10	4
<b>Persons below 70% of LLSIL<sup>4</sup></b>	260	90	10	45	10	80	10	10	4
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL<sup>3,4</sup></b>	285	90	10	50	15	95	10	10	4
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL, excluding Military and College<sup>3,4,5</sup></b>	275	90	10	50	10	90	10	10	4
<b>Persons in the Civilian Labor Force<sup>6</sup></b>	685	n/a	n/a	105	30	450	75	20	4

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**January 16, 2005**

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**2004 Veteran Estimates**

<b>Total Veterans<sup>10</sup></b>	144
<b>Male</b>	137
<b>Female</b>	7
<b>Veterans Receiving Compensation and Pension Benefits<sup>11</sup></b>	4

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LWIA NAME: Placer  
 JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED: Placer County

<b>2000 CENSUS</b>									
<b>Characteristics of Economically Disadvantaged Persons<sup>1</sup></b>									
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0 to 13</b>	<b>14 and 15</b>	<b>16 to 21</b>	<b>22 to 24</b>	<b>25 to 54</b>	<b>55 to 64</b>	<b>65 to 72</b>	<b>73 and older</b>
<b>Total Persons</b>	248,400	49,915	8,190	18,080	6,325	110,225	23,090	14,435	18,140
<b>Poverty Universe<sup>2</sup></b>	245,680	49,285	8,070	17,855	6,265	109,955	23,080	14,405	16,770
<b>Persons below Poverty<sup>3</sup></b>	14,270	3,360	370	1,900	705	5,720	1,020	490	710
<b>Percent Persons in Poverty</b>	5.8%	6.8%	4.6%	10.6%	11.3%	5.2%	4.4%	3.4%	4.2%
<b>Persons in Poverty, excluding Military and College<sup>3,5</sup></b>	13,910	3,360	370	1,795	655	5,565	975	490	700
<b>Persons below 70% of LLSIL<sup>4</sup></b>	16,975	5,025	625	2,030	710	5,920	940	520	1,205
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL<sup>3,4</sup></b>	18,350	5,025	625	2,220	820	6,595	1,130	605	1,330
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL, excluding Military and College<sup>3,4,5</sup></b>	17,875	5,025	625	2,060	775	6,410	1,080	600	1,300
<b>Persons in the Civilian Labor Force<sup>6</sup></b>	123,620	n/a	n/a	11,230	5,365	90,175	13,290	2,405	1,160

**Characteristics of Various Potential Client Groups**

**January 16, 2005**

**Labor Force Status<sup>7</sup> (Golden Sierra Consortium totals)**

<b>Employment</b>	264,818
<b>Unemployment</b>	13,243
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	4.8%
<b>Not in Labor Force<sup>8</sup></b>	151,907

**Parole Adults (under local jurisdiction)<sup>9</sup>**

6,650

**2004 Veteran Estimates**

<b>Total Veterans<sup>10</sup></b>	28,580
<b>Male</b>	26,596
<b>Female</b>	1,984
<b>Veterans Receiving Compensation and Pension Benefits<sup>11</sup></b>	2,855

n/a Persons counted as part of the Civilian Labor Force must be at least 16 years old.

**TABLE 3  
Workforce Investment Act  
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LWIA NAME: Nevada  
JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED: Nevada County

<b>2000 CENSUS</b>									
<b>Characteristics of Economically Disadvantaged Persons<sup>1</sup></b>									
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0 to 13</b>	<b>14 and 15</b>	<b>16 to 21</b>	<b>22 to 24</b>	<b>25 to 54</b>	<b>55 to 64</b>	<b>65 to 72</b>	<b>73 and older</b>
<b>Total Persons</b>	92,035	15,405	2,815	6,610	2,055	38,535	10,500	6,740	9,375
<b>Poverty Universe<sup>2</sup></b>	90,920	15,025	2,750	6,515	2,015	38,440	10,475	6,725	8,975
<b>Persons below Poverty<sup>3</sup></b>	7,330	1,420	360	815	300	2,980	685	235	535
<b>Percent Persons in Poverty</b>	8.1%	9.5%	13.1%	12.5%	14.9%	7.8%	6.5%	3.5%	6.0%
<b>Persons in Poverty, excluding Military and College<sup>3,5</sup></b>	7,160	1,420	360	795	260	2,895	660	235	535
<b>Persons below 70% of LLSIL<sup>4</sup></b>	8,370	2,180	505	835	300	3,035	660	270	585
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL<sup>3,4</sup></b>	9,025	2,180	505	915	345	3,370	755	300	650
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL, excluding Military and College<sup>3,4,5</sup></b>	8,840	2,180	505	890	300	3,275	730	300	650
<b>Persons in the Civilian Labor Force<sup>6</sup></b>	43,625	n/a	n/a	3,825	1,650	31,260	5,215	1,150	520

**Characteristics of Various Potential Client Groups**

**January 16, 2005**

**Labor Force Status<sup>7</sup> (Golden Sierra Consortium totals)**

<b>Employment</b>	264,818
<b>Unemployment</b>	13,243
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	4.8%
<b>Not in Labor Force<sup>8</sup></b>	151,907

**Parole Adults (under local jurisdiction)<sup>9</sup>**

6,650

**2004 Veteran Estimates**

<b>Total Veterans<sup>10</sup></b>	11,712
<b>Male</b>	11,115
<b>Female</b>	597
<b>Veterans Receiving Compensation and Pension Benefits<sup>11</sup></b>	1,040

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**TABLE 3**  
**Workforce Investment Act**  
**Planning Information for Local Workforce Investment Areas**

LWIA NAME: El Dorado  
 JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED: El Dorado County

<b>2000 CENSUS</b>									
<b>Characteristics of Economically Disadvantaged Persons<sup>1</sup></b>									
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0 to 13</b>	<b>14 and 15</b>	<b>16 to 21</b>	<b>22 to 24</b>	<b>25 to 54</b>	<b>55 to 64</b>	<b>65 to 72</b>	<b>73 and older</b>
<b>Total Persons</b>	156,300	30,955	4,950	11,485	3,875	70,310	15,215	8,960	10,550
<b>Poverty Universe<sup>2</sup></b>	154,980	30,325	4,875	11,420	3,835	70,055	15,195	8,960	10,320
<b>Persons below Poverty<sup>3</sup></b>	11,080	2,435	285	1,390	610	4,585	805	405	560
<b>Percent Persons in Poverty</b>	7.1%	8.0%	5.8%	12.2%	15.9%	6.5%	5.3%	4.5%	5.4%
<b>Persons in Poverty, excluding Military and College<sup>3,5</sup></b>	10,785	2,435	285	1,305	565	4,445	795	395	560
<b>Persons below 70% of LLSIL<sup>4</sup></b>	13,305	4,015	435	1,580	570	4,835	735	390	750
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL<sup>3,4</sup></b>	14,085	4,015	435	1,600	655	5,285	865	415	815
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL, excluding Military and College<sup>3,4,5</sup></b>	13,785	4,015	435	1,505	605	5,145	855	405	815
<b>Persons in the Civilian Labor Force<sup>6</sup></b>	78,025	n/a	n/a	6,615	3,175	57,310	8,470	1,715	740

**Characteristics of Various Potential Client Groups** **January 16, 2005**

<b>Labor Force Status<sup>7</sup> (Golden Sierra Consortium totals)</b>	
Employment	264,818
Unemployment	13,243
Unemployment Rate	4.8%
Not in Labor Force <sup>8</sup>	151,907
<b>Parole Adults (under local jurisdiction)<sup>9</sup></b>	6,650
<b>2004 Veteran Estimates</b>	
Total Veterans <sup>10</sup>	17,554
Male	16,379
Female	1,175
<b>Veterans Receiving Compensation and Pension Benefits<sup>11</sup></b>	1,600

n/a Persons counted as part of the Civilian Labor Force must be at least 16 years old.

**TABLE 3**  
**Workforce Investment Act**  
**Planning Information for Local Workforce Investment Areas**

LWIA NAME: Sierra  
 JURISDICTIONS INCLUDED: Sierra County

<b>2000 CENSUS</b>									
<b>Characteristics of Economically Disadvantaged Persons<sup>1</sup></b>									
	<b>Total</b>	<b>0 to 13</b>	<b>14 and 15</b>	<b>16 to 21</b>	<b>22 to 24</b>	<b>25 to 54</b>	<b>55 to 64</b>	<b>65 to 72</b>	<b>73 and older</b>
<b>Total Persons</b>	3,555	555	155	250	55	1,450	475	270	345
<b>Poverty Universe<sup>2</sup></b>	3,515	555	155	250	55	1,445	475	265	320
<b>Persons below Poverty<sup>3</sup></b>	395	95	25	20	20	180	40	4	10
<b>Percent Persons in Poverty</b>	11.2%	17.1%	16.1%	8.0%	36.4%	12.5%	8.4%	1.5%	3.1%
<b>Persons in Poverty, excluding Military and College<sup>3,5</sup></b>	385	95	25	20	20	180	30	4	10
<b>Persons below 70% of LLSIL<sup>4</sup></b>	415	125	25	15	15	190	30	4	15
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL<sup>3,4</sup></b>	465	125	25	25	25	210	40	4	15
<b>Persons below Poverty or 70% of LLSIL, excluding Military and College<sup>3,4,5</sup></b>	455	125	25	25	25	205	35	4	15
<b>Persons in the Civilian Labor Force<sup>6</sup></b>	1,670	n/a	n/a	120	50	1,175	245	50	35

**Characteristics of Various Potential Client Groups**

**January 16, 2005**

**Labor Force Status<sup>7</sup> (Golden Sierra Consortium totals)**

<b>Employment</b>	264,818
<b>Unemployment</b>	13,243
<b>Unemployment Rate</b>	4.8%
<b>Not in Labor Force<sup>8</sup></b>	151,907

**Parole Adults (under local jurisdiction)<sup>9</sup>**

6,650

**2004 Veteran Estimates**

<b>Total Veterans<sup>10</sup></b>	459
<b>Male</b>	437
<b>Female</b>	22
<b>Veterans Receiving Compensation and Pension Benefits<sup>11</sup></b>	41

n/a Persons counted as part of the Civilian Labor Force must be at least 16 years old.

**Table 3**  
**Workforce Investment Act**  
**Planning Information for Local Workforce Investment Areas**

**Footnotes and Data Sources**

<sup>1</sup>The **economically disadvantaged population** is defined by the Employment and Training Administration (ETA) as persons below the federal poverty level or below 70% of the Lower Living Standard Income Levels (LLSIL).

ETA provided these data from a custom tabulation generated by the U. S. Bureau of Census. Totals may not match other data from the same source. Further information can be accessed through the following Web sites:

ETA: [www.doleta.gov](http://www.doleta.gov)

Census Bureau: [www.census.gov](http://www.census.gov)

<sup>2</sup>**Poverty Universe:** Poverty status is determined for everyone except people in institutions, such as people in prison or in nursing homes; people in military group quarters; people in college dormitories; and individuals under 18 years old living with non-relatives, such as foster children.

<sup>3</sup>**Persons below Poverty:** An individual's poverty status is determined by comparing their family income with the federal poverty threshold appropriate for that person's family size and the number of family members under 18 years old. If a person is not living with anyone related by birth, marriage, or adoption, then the person's own income is compared with his or her poverty threshold. The Percent Persons in Poverty is calculated by dividing the Persons below Poverty by the Poverty Universe and multiplying by 100.

<sup>4</sup>**Excluding Military and College:** These data exclude persons who are on active duty in the armed forces and college students in the labor force.

<sup>5</sup>**Lower Living Standard Income Levels (LLSIL):** The LLSIL is used to determine an individual's eligibility for certain services under the Workforce Investment Act (WIA). WIA section 101(24) defines the LLSIL as "that income level (adjusted for regional, metropolitan, urban, and rural differences and family size) determined annually by the Secretary of Labor." In a manner similar to the poverty level, an individual's LLSIL status is determined by comparing their income and family size to the published LLSIL levels. For more information, see the ETA Web site at: [www.doleta.gov/llsil/](http://www.doleta.gov/llsil/).

<sup>6</sup>**Civilian Labor Force** is persons 16 years or older who are "employed," excluding persons in the armed forces, or "unemployed." "Unemployed" are persons who were without a job and are actively looking for a job and were available to start a job.

<sup>7</sup>**Labor Force** in this category refers to civilian labor force, that includes, but is not limited to, the economically disadvantaged. March 2003 Benchmark data. These data are developed by the California Employment Development Department, Labor Market Information Division.

<sup>8</sup>**Not in Labor Force** refers to those who are not employed and not actively seeking employment. This category includes, but is not limited to, the economically disadvantaged. Not in labor force data are based on preliminary labor force data (01/2004-12/2004); Department of Finance populations estimates as of January 2004; and working age populations from 2000 Census data.

<sup>9</sup>Data provided by the California Department of Justice, 2002 Criminal Justice Profile. Additional information can be found on-line at: [www.caag.state.ca.us](http://www.caag.state.ca.us).

<sup>10</sup>Data provided by the U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Veteran Population Projections Adjusted to Census 2000 (VetPop2001Adj), September 30, 2003, Washington, D.C.. Located on-line at [www.va.gov](http://www.va.gov).

<sup>11</sup>Data provided by the U. S. Department of Veterans Affairs, Statistics for Veterans Receiving Compensation and Pension Benefits, November, 2004, Washington, D.C..

Note: Data provided are the most recent available at the time of publication.

**Table 4**  
**Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL)**  
**and Poverty Guidelines**  
**2004**

<b>Table 1 — San Diego Metropolitan Statistical Area</b>							
<b>San Diego</b>							
	Family Size						
	One Member	Two Member	Three Member	Four Member	Five Member	Six Member	Each Additional Member Add
<b>70% LLSIL (a)</b>							
Annual	\$9,070	\$14,860	\$20,400	\$25,180	\$29,720	\$34,750	\$5,030
6 Months	\$4,535	\$7,430	\$10,200	\$12,590	\$14,860	\$17,375	\$2,515
100%	\$12,950	\$21,230	\$29,140	\$35,970	\$42,450	\$49,640	\$7,190
<b>Poverty Guidelines (a)</b>							
Annual	\$9,310	\$12,490	\$15,670	\$18,850	\$22,030	\$25,210	\$3,180
6 Months	\$4,655	\$6,245	\$7,835	\$9,425	\$11,015	\$12,605	\$1,590

<b>Table 2 — Los Angeles/Riverside/Orange County Metropolitan Statistical Area</b>							
<b>Anaheim</b>	<b>Los Angeles County</b>			<b>San Bernardino County</b>			
<b>Carson/Lomita/Torrance</b>	<b>Orange County</b>			<b>SELACO</b>			
<b>Foothill</b>	<b>Riverside County</b>			<b>South Bay</b>			
<b>Long Beach</b>	<b>Santa Ana</b>			<b>Ventura</b>			
<b>Los Angeles City</b>	<b>San Bernardino City</b>			<b>Verdugo</b>			
	Family Size						
	One Member	Two Member	Three Member	Four Member	Five Member	Six Member	Each Additional Member Add
<b>70% LLSIL (a)</b>							
Annual	\$8,300	\$13,600	\$18,680	\$23,050	\$27,200	\$31,810	\$4,610
6 Months	\$4,150	\$6,800	\$9,340	\$11,525	\$13,600	\$15,905	\$2,305
100%	\$11,860	\$19,430	\$26,670	\$32,920	\$38,850	\$45,430	\$6,580
<b>Poverty Guidelines (a)</b>							
Annual	\$9,310	\$12,490	\$15,670	\$18,850	\$22,030	\$25,210	\$3,180
6 Months	\$4,655	\$6,245	\$7,835	\$9,425	\$11,015	\$12,605	\$1,590

**Table 4**  
**Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL)**  
**and Poverty Guidelines**  
**2004**

<b>Table 3 — San Francisco/Oakland/San Jose Metropolitan Statistical Area</b>							
<b>Alameda</b>	<b>Oakland</b>			<b>Santa Cruz</b>			
<b>Contra Costa</b>	<b>Richmond</b>			<b>Solano</b>			
<b>Marin</b>	<b>San Francisco</b>			<b>Sonoma</b>			
<b>Napa</b>	<b>San Jose</b>						
<b>NOVA</b>	<b>San Mateo</b>						
	Family Size						
	One Member	Two Member	Three Member	Four Member	Five Member	Six Member	Each Additional Member Add
<b>70% LLSIL (a)</b>							
Annual	\$8,790	\$14,400	\$19,770	\$24,400	\$28,800	\$33,680	\$4,880
6 Months	\$4,395	\$7,200	\$9,885	\$12,200	\$14,400	\$16,840	\$2,440
100%	\$12,550	\$20,570	\$28,240	\$34,860	\$41,140	\$48,110	\$6,970
<b>Poverty Guidelines (a)</b>							
Annual	\$9,310	\$12,490	\$15,670	\$18,850	\$22,030	\$25,210	\$3,180
6 Months	\$4,655	\$6,245	\$7,835	\$9,425	\$11,015	\$12,605	\$1,590

<b>Table 4 — Other Metropolitan Areas</b>							
<b>Fresno</b>	<b>NoRTEC</b>			<b>Stanislaus</b>			
<b>Golden Sierra</b>	<b>North Central</b>			<b>Tulare</b>			
<b>Kern/Inyo/Mono</b>	<b>Sacramento</b>			<b>Yolo</b>			
<b>Merced</b>	<b>San Joaquin</b>						
<b>Monterey</b>	<b>Santa Barbara</b>						
	Family Size						
	One Member	Two Member	Three Member	Four Member	Five Member	Six Member	Each Additional Member Add
<b>70% LLSIL (a)</b>							
Annual	\$8,100	\$13,270	\$18,220	\$22,490	\$26,540	\$31,040	\$4,500
6 Months	\$4,050	\$6,635	\$9,110	\$11,245	\$13,270	\$15,520	\$2,250
100%	\$11,570	\$18,960	\$26,030	\$32,130	\$37,920	\$44,340	\$6,420
<b>Poverty Guidelines (a)</b>							
Annual	\$9,310	\$12,490	\$15,260	\$18,850	\$22,030	\$25,210	\$3,180
6 Months	\$4,655	\$6,245	\$7,835	\$9,425	\$11,015	\$12,605	\$1,590

**Table 4**  
**Lower Living Standard Income Level (LLSIL)**  
**and Poverty Guidelines**  
**2004**

<b>Table 5 — Nonmetropolitan Areas</b>							
<b>Humboldt</b>	<b>Mother Lode</b>						
<b>Imperial</b>	<b>San Benito</b>						
<b>Kings</b>	<b>San Luis Obispo</b>						
<b>Madera</b>							
<b>Mendocino</b>							
	Family Size						
	One Member	Two Member	Three Member	Four Member	Five Member	Six Member	Each Additional Member Add
<b>70% LLSIL (a)</b>							
Annual	\$7,850	\$12,870	\$17,660	\$21,800	\$25,730	\$30,090	\$4,360
6 Months	\$3,925	\$6,435	\$8,830	\$10,900	\$12,865	\$15,045	\$2,180
100%	\$11,220	\$18,380	\$25,230	\$31,140	\$36,750	\$42,980	\$6,230
<b>Poverty Guidelines (a)</b>							
Annual	\$9,310	\$12,490	\$15,670	\$18,850	\$22,030	\$25,210	\$3,180
6 Months	\$4,655	\$6,245	\$7,835	\$9,425	\$11,015	\$12,605	\$1,590

Source: State of California, Workforce Investment Division, Workforce Investment Act Directive  
 (WIAD04-2, August 9, 2004)

(a) Tables 1 through 5 show the 70 percent LLSIL and the poverty guidelines for western metropolitan a nonmetropolitan areas, and for three specific Metropolitan Statistical Areas in California. In addition, each LLSIL table includes the 100 percent LLSIL that establishes the Department of Labor's minimum self-sufficiency levels. Each table specifies which areas encompass which Local Workforce Investment Area (LWIA). For a family of one, in all tables, the poverty guidelines exceed the 70 percent LLSIL and, therefore, should be used to establish the low-income status. For all other family sizes, the LLSILs exceed the poverty guidelines. The last column in each table shows the amount to be added to the figure for a family of six for each additional family member.